

PATENT APPLICATION

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 1797**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Yukuo KATAYAMA

Group Art Unit: 1797

Application No.: 10/564,988

Examiner: M. PO

Filed: January 18, 2006

Docket No.: 126599

For: METHOD FOR DEWATERING WATER-CONTAINING COAL

REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the March 11, 2009 Office Action, please consider the following:

Remarks.